

Appendix C

Abbreviations and Acronyms (Excludes abbreviations of chemical categories or specific chemicals)

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	NHANES	National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey
ANCOVA	Analysis of covariance	NIEHS	National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences
ATSDR	Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry	NIH	National Institutes of Health
BAT	Biologischen arbeitsstoff-toleranz [German] or biological tolerance level	NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
BEI	Biological exposure index	NRC	United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
BLL	Blood lead level	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	TEF	Toxic equivalency factor
CPSC	U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission	TEQ	Toxic equivalency
FDA	United States Food and Drug Administration	TLV	Threshold limit value
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
IUPAC	International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry	U.S. DOE	United States Department of Energy
LOD	Limit of detection	U.S. DOT	United States Department of Transportation
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheets	U.S. EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
NCEH	National Center for Environmental Health	U.S. HHS	United States Department of Health and Human Services
NCHS	National Center for Health Statistics	U.S. HUD	United States Department of Housing and Urban Development
		WHO	World Health Organization